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Enclosed is an Amendment with two (2) Replacement Sheets of Formal Drawings in the above-identified application.

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RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.111, 1.112, 1.121

This is a response to the Office Action mailed May 16, 2006.

a. Introductory Comments

The Office Action subjects the claims to a restriction requirement withdrawing claims 10 – 16, objects to claims 7 – 9, and rejects claims 1 – 9.

Herein, Applicants confirm their previous election with respect to the restriction requirement.

Herein, Applicants amend page 2 of the Description.

Herein, Applicants amend Figures 3 and 5 attaching two Replacement Sheets.

Herein, Applicants amend dependent claims 8 and 9.

Applicant requests reconsideration.